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The · Beautiful · New · Dark · Rose,

(No. 1.) Mrs. President Harrison.

COLOR, dark rich velvety crimson maroon; of very fine form; perfectly double; abundant, free bloomer, with a rich fragrance.

This rose is a seedling raised in France by a celebrated rose-grower. We have purchased the stock and the right to name it, and send it out this season for the first time, at a very low price, so that all will be able to add to their collection a valuable novelty. We have the plants budded and on their own roots, strong two-year-old bushes which will bloom this season. . . . . Each, 75c.

The · Two · Ever · Popular · Roses.

(No. 2.) Paul Neyron.

FLOWERS extremely large, of a deep rich rose color, or dark pink; very free bloomer; perfect form; full double; very fragrant; growth vigorous, and almost thornless. . . . . Each, 50c.

(No. 3.) Madame Gabriel Luizet.

DELICATE silvery pink; finely cupped; full round shape; beautifully fragrant, and strong grower; a great favorite. Each, 50c.

The above Collection of three Roses, regular price \$1.75, will be sent, nicely packed and labelled, on receipt of \$1.25.

NOTE.—These Roses are not the small weak plants that are often sent out, but are strong two-year-old bushes, which we send by express only, and at purchaser's expense.

See our COMPLETE LIST OF ROSES, all the standard and leading kinds.

We gladly greet you in 1890, and remind you that every page of this Book should be carefully consulted in order to acquaint yourself with the large variety of Goods offered therein; Novelties and Specialties throughout the Book. . . . .



# AUTUMN 1890 CATALOGUE

## Of Bulbs and Flower Roots

### TO PLANT NOW

For Winter Blooming in the House and Spring Blooming in the Garden.

*Send your orders early* and receive our best attention; it is advisable to plant bulbs as *soon as possible* after the first of October, but they can be planted as late as the *ground is open*, but the *early planting* will give the best bloom. *All bulbs delivered free at each and dozen prices except where noted.*

## Chinese Sacred Lily, or Joss Flower.

This is a Beautiful and Interesting Variety of Narcissus.

It is grown by the Chinese, according to the ancient custom, to bloom at the advent of their new year. It is highly prized, and is called by them "Joss Flower, or Flower of the Gods." The bulbs are specially grown by a method known only to themselves, whereby they attain great size and strength, insuring luxuriant growth, and a remarkable profusion of blooming in a very short period. They are cultivated in shallow glass dishes or in ornamental bowls containing water, with small bright-colored stones, or pieces of marble placed around them to prevent them from toppling over when in bloom. The flowers are borne in clusters on tall spikes, are white with golden yellow centres, and are delicately fragrant. The bulbs will bloom from six to eight weeks after planting, and with a few bulbs started at intervals of about three or four weeks, a succession of flowers may be had throughout the winter. They should be placed in a dark, cool cellar or closet after planting until rooted, which would be in about ten days. Then remove to a warm, sunny window. The water should be changed two or three times a week. *Our supply of bulbs are imported by us direct from China*, and are of first quality. Many people are deceived in Chinese Lilies by buying second quality bulbs, which, from appearance, cannot be detected from first quality. Price, 20 cents each, \$2.00 per dozen; by mail, 25 cents each, \$2.50 per dozen.



**We carry in stock Chinese Fancy Pots to grow the Sacred Lily.**

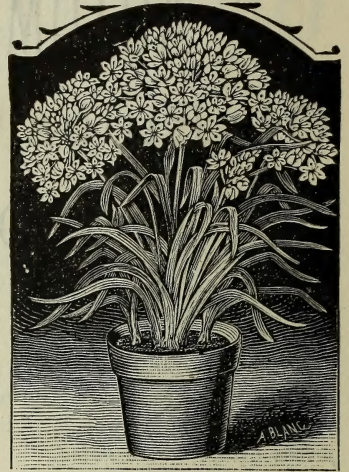
**GARDENERS AND FARM-HANDS.**

*Persons in want of Help or Situations, our Register is Free to all. NO CHARGE.*



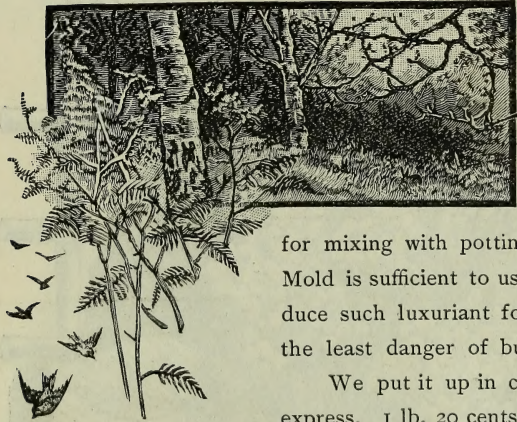
## Allium Neapolitanum.

These bulbs are sure to bloom splendidly in windows, and will be greatly admired by all who plant them. They are certainly a grand bulb for winter bloom. The flower stems at times being 20 inches high, supporting a large cluster of delicate white flowers, which keep in good condition for a long time. They should be planted, 4 to 5 bulbs, in a 5-inch pot, and should make a fine show for a full month during the winter. They are especially desirable for cut flowers. Sure to give satisfaction to every customer. 10 cents each; 3 for 25 cents; 75 cents per dozen.



ALLIUM NEAPOLITANUM.

## Prepared Leaf Mold.



We have had many calls for Leaf Mold to use in potting plants, for winter blooming, and this season we have had a large quantity gathered and mixed with sufficient amount of ground bone and guano, which makes it a valuable article

for mixing with potting soil. From one quarter to one half Leaf Mold is sufficient to use. No article can be used which will produce such luxuriant foliage and quantity of flowers, and without the least danger of burning or destroying the plants.

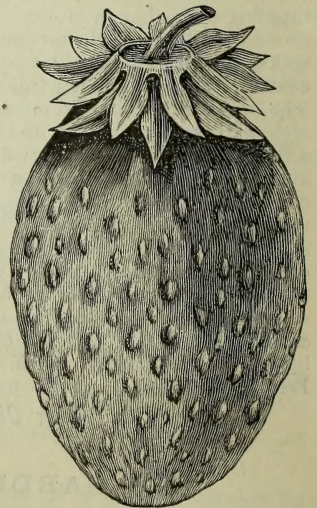
We put it up in convenient packages for sending by mail or express. 1 lb. 20 cents; 2 lbs. 30 cents; 5 lbs. 60 cents, and 10 lbs. \$1.00. If by mail add 16 cents per pound for postage.

## The Belmont Strawberry

This spring was awarded the great \$50 Prospective Prize of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society, which is the highest compliment and best endorsement any new fruit can receive in this country.

The Belmont Strawberry which was first sent out by us five years ago has stood the test, and to-day is the leading Strawberry, having more good points than any berry that has been produced since. Those who have not tried the Belmont should not lose time in procuring them. Buy true stock from us, the introducers.

See GENERAL LIST OF STRAWBERRIES, Pages 22 and 23.



BELMONT.



## Culture and Treatment of the Hyacinth.



Among Dutch bulbs, the Hyacinth takes first place; its beauty, fragrance, and easy cultivation making it a general favorite in the garden, as well as in the house, for winter flowering. Nothing can be more delightful than to grow these lovely flowers in the parlor, and to watch day by day their attaining to perfection, when the flowers without have disappeared, and everything looks bleak and dead in the garden. The Hyacinth grows freely in almost any medium which retains moisture, and will produce fine flowers when grown in pots or water. They may be planted for a succession of winter bloom from the middle of September till January.

### CULTURE IN WATER.

Single Hyacinths are more generally used for growing in glasses, as they produce finer spikes of bloom than the double. The bulbs should be planted as early in the season as possible, keeping them in a cool dark cellar, or in a similar

situation, until the roots have reached the bottom of the glass, which requires about eight weeks' time, after which remove to a light, sunny window. The water in the glass should be changed two or three times a week. In severe weather, the bulb must be removed from the window. After filling the glass with water, place the bulb so that the base only will touch the water.

### CULTURE OF HYACINTHS IN POTS.

This is by far the most successful way of cultivating Hyacinths for winter blooming. Use a five or a six inch pot, fill rather loosely to the brim, and press the bulb down so that the top only appears above the soil, then water freely to settle the earth around the bulb, and place in a cool, dark cellar, or in a similar place, to encourage a strong development of the roots before the bud starts to grow at the top. Such a situation can be made by covering the pot with about four inches of sand, and place where it is cool. Care must be taken to prevent them from freezing, or from extreme heat, as the development of the roots can be only had at a low temperature—from 40 to 50 degrees. It is useless to try to force them into bloom until they have made sufficient root, and the spike is three to four inches high. This will take about six or eight weeks from the time of planting; then remove to a light sunny window, and water freely. The flowers will last much longer if kept in a cool situation after they commence to bloom.



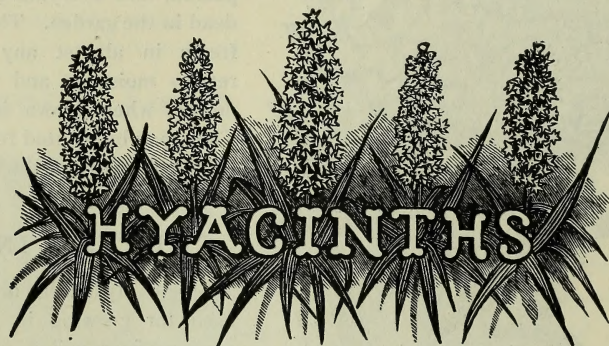
POT OF HYACINTHS.



## Hyacinths. — Continued.

### CULTURE IN THE GARDEN.

For out-door planting, Hyacinths should be planted from first of October until the ground freezes. Any garden soil will grow Hyacinths well, but it must be drained so that water will not lay on the surface for any length of time, or the bulbs will be likely to rot. Place the bulbs about five inches deep, and from six to eight inches apart. After frost sets in, cover the beds with from four to six inches of leaves or manure, placing brush or boards over the top to prevent the wind from blowing them off. In the spring raking off the covering, take off about half at first, and then wait a week before taking off the remainder. Nothing more is required except to destroy the weeds.



### NAMED HYACINTHS (our own selection).

For the convenience of purchasers unacquainted with varieties, we offer the following collections. They comprise beautiful varieties which our experience has led us to select as most worthy of cultivation.

*(In ordering say whether for pots or glasses.)*

12 Named Hyacinths, distinct varieties . . . . .	\$2.00
12 Extra Choice Named Hyacinths for exhibition . . . . .	3.00

### SINGLE NAMED BEDDING HYACINTHS.

Specially adapted for planting in lines of separate colors, and are of superior quality as to be entirely satisfactory to florists and others, who use large numbers for forcing. They comprise the finest shades of colors, and are much superior to the cheap mixtures offered for out-door planting.

Bright Red.	Dark Blue.	Pure White.
Rose.	Light Blue.	Rosy White.
	Yellow.	

8 cents each; per dozen, 80 cents; per hundred, \$6.50.

### HYACINTHS FOR BEDS AND BORDERS.

Single Red Varieties, mixed.				Double Red Varieties, mixed.			
"	Blue	"	"	"	Blue	"	"
"	White	"	"	"	White	"	"
"	Yellow	"	"	"	Yellow	"	"

6 cents each; per dozen, 60 cents; per hundred, \$4.50.

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# TARKER & WOOD, Bookbinders,

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Kindly attach to this sheet a separate slip with the name of the book or books to be bound, and the name of the person to whom the books are to be sent.

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In ordering FLOWER SEEDS the NUMBERS only need be used.

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*Hyacinths. — Continued.*

The double varieties marked \*, and all the single, are the best adapted for forcing, or for growing in water.

**SINGLE RED (various shades).**Cents  
each.

Amy.	Bright scarlet; extra good; small bulb . . . . .	10
Baron van Thuill.	Pink; large truss; very early . . . . .	15
Belle Quirine.	Pale red; striped . . . . .	15
Charles Dickens.	Light rose with pale carmine stripes; long, handsome truss . . .	25
Cosmos.	Tall; large bells; extra for forcing . . . . .	20
Fabiola.	Pale rose; striped with bright pink, large bells and beautiful truss; extra . .	25
Gertrude.	Rose carmine; fine, compact truss; extra . . . . .	20
Gigantea.	Light rose; immense spike, medium bells, very compact . . . . .	15
Lord Macaulay.	Rose, with dark carmine stripe; large bells closely arranged, immense spike, very fine . . . . .	25
Madame Hodson.	Delicate pink; striped with deep red, full truss . . . . .	15
Madlle. Rachell.	Bright rose carmine; splendid . . . . .	20
Mrs. Beecher Stowe.	Rich, rosy red; large truss . . . . .	25
Norma.	Satin pink; large bell, handsome spike; one of the best . . . . .	12
Pelissier.	Intense scarlet; fine for forcing . . . . .	20
Prince of Orange.	Deep pink; splendid truss; extra fine . . . . .	20
Robert Steiger.	Fine large scarlet; extra fine bulb . . . . .	10
Sultan's Favorite.	Bright rose; shaded with pink . . . . .	18

**SINGLE WHITE (various shades).**

Alba Maxima.	Snow white; early . . . . .	15
Alba Superbissima.	Pure white; grand full flower . . . . .	20
Baroness von Thuill.	Pure white; tall; extra large truss . . . . .	15
Crown Princess.	Pure white; early; fine . . . . .	20
Elfride.	Blush; large truss; extra fine bulb . . . . .	18
Grandeur a Merveille.	Beautiful blush; very showy . . . . .	15
Grand Vainqueur.	Pure white; large and beautiful truss; the best . . . . .	20
Grande Vedette.	Pure white; large; the earliest . . . . .	15
La Franchise.	Pure white; large; handsome truss; extra . . .	20
La Grandesse.	Pure white; with immense bells of great substance; magnificent spike; extra . . . . .	25
Madame van der Hoop.	Pure white; large bells . . . . .	15
Mina.	Pure white; large and beautiful truss; one of the best for water culture . . . . .	25
Mont Blanc.	Pure white; large bells; immense spike; extra . . . . .	20
Queen Victoria.	Very large; pure white . . . . .	20
Seraphine.	Blush white; splendid . . . . .	20
Snowball.	Pure white; very large bells of great substance and sym- metrical shape; fine truss . . . . .	35
Voltaire.	White; shaded rose; fine truss . . . . .	15





*Hyacinths. — Continued.***SINGLE BLUE (various shades).**

	Cents each.
Argus. Blue; white eye; very showy . . . . .	10
Baron van Thuill. Dark blue; large and compact truss . . . . .	10
Bleu Mourant, Rich dark blue; fine truss . . . . .	10
Blondin. Silvery light blue; large truss . . . . .	20
Charles Dickens. Dark porcelain, shaded lilac; large truss . . . . .	10
Czar Peter. Pale lavender; large bells; handsome spike; extra . . . . .	20
Grand Lilas. Porcelain blue; large, handsome spike . . . . .	20
Grand Maitre. Porcelain blue; large bells; immense spike . . . . .	25
King of the Blues. Rich dark blue; large bell; magnificent compact spike; extra . . . . .	12
Leonidas. Porcelain; large, handsome spike . . . . .	10
Lord Derby. Light porcelain; extra fine spike . . . . .	20
William the 1st. Black; very effective . . . . .	20
Mimosa. Dark purple; beautiful spike . . . . .	12
Uncle Tom. Dark violet; extra fine . . . . .	15

**SINGLE YELLOW (various shades).**

Alida Jacoba. Canary yellow; fine, compact truss . . . . .	15
Anna Carolina. Pale yellow; good spike . . . . .	25
Fleur d'Or. Canary yellow; grand flower . . . . .	15
Herman. Orange; fine . . . . .	15
Ida. Pure yellow; grand spike; extra; best of all yellows . . . . .	25
King of Holland. Orange; very showy . . . . .	20
La Citroniere. Pale citron; handsome, close spike . . . . .	20
Prince of Orange. Orange yellow; splendid; fine truss . . . . .	20

**DOUBLE RED (various shades).**

HYACINTHS IN POTS.

*Acteur. Dark rose; large bells . . . . .	15
*Alida Catherina. Deep rose; very handsome . . . . .	20
*Bouquet Tendre. Blush red; dwarf; nice bells; very early . . . . .	15
*Comtesse de la Coste. Dark red; good spike . . . . .	20
Czar Nicholas. Bright rose; dwarf . . . . .	12
Koh-i-noor. Bright rose; large bells and truss; very fine . . . . .	60
Lord Wellington. Soft rose; one of the best . . . . .	25
Noble Par Merite. Rose, shaded pink; large bells; compact truss; extra . . . . .	15
*Prince of Orange. Bright pink, carmine-striped; large; compact spike . . . . .	20
*Princess Royal. Scarlet; fine, compact truss . . . . .	15
*Regina Victoria. Bright scarlet; good truss . . . . .	15

**DOUBLE WHITE (various shades).**

A la Mode. Pink eye; dwarf and good . . . . .	15
*Anna Maria. Blush, with violet eye; grand truss . . . . .	15
Blanchard. Pure white; large bells . . . . .	20
*Bouquet Royal. Pure white; long, compact spike . . . . .	20
*Jenny Lynd. Very early; pure white . . . . .	15
*La Tour d'Auvergne. Pure white; large bells; large, handsome truss; early . . . . .	20
La Virginite. Blush white; extra large . . . . .	10
Madame de Stael. Rosy white; good spike . . . . .	25
*Violet Superbe. Tall; large bells; violet centre . . . . .	10
Virgo. Bluish white; fine truss . . . . .	25



## Hyacinths. — Continued.

### DOUBLE BLUE (various shades).

	Cents each.
*Bloksberg. Clear porcelain . . . . .	15
*Bride of Lammermoor. Dark blue . . . . .	15
*Charles Dickens. Light blue . . . . .	20
*Garrick. Azure blue; fine full truss . . . . .	15
Gen. Antink. Porcelain; black centre . . . . .	15
Lord Raglan. Dark blue; large bells . . . . .	20
Mignon de Dryfhout. Light blue . . . . .	15
Robert Burns. Dark blue; striped purple . . . . .	20

### DOUBLE YELLOW.

*Bouquet d'Orange. Reddish yellow . . . . .	25
Croesus. Bright yellow . . . . .	25
Goethe. Cream-colored; very double . . . . .	25
*Heroine. Canary yellow; fine truss . . . . .	25
Jaune Supreme. Canary yellow; very fine . . . . .	25
*Louis d'Or. Delicate straw-color . . . . .	20
Minerva. Orange yellow; one of the best . . . . .	25
William the 3d. Extra fine . . . . .	25
Apricot. Pink centre . . . . .	25



EARLY WHITE ROMAN HYACINTHS.

### EARLY WHITE ROMAN; Or, CHRISTMAS HYACINTHS.

This is a miniature variety of the Hyacinth, which is extensively used by florists, as they are the earliest for forcing. The flowers, which are smaller than the ordinary Hyacinth, are produced in great profusion, each bulb throwing up two or three spikes of deliciously fragrant, pure white flowers. By successive planting may be had in bloom from October to Christmas. They show to better advantage if four or six bulbs are planted in a pot.

	Cents per doz.	Cents per 100.
Early White Roman; extra size . . . . .	50	\$4.00
" Blue " " " . . . . .	40	3.00

## Mixed Tulips.

	Cents per doz.	Cents per 100.
Single, early, fine mixed, . . . . .	20	\$1.40
Single, early, superfine, . . . . .	30	2.00
Extra selected, named varieties . . . . .	35	2.50
Early double, mixed . . . . .	25	1.50
Late Flowering; Byblœ-man's Roses and Biz-arres, finest mixed . . . . .	30	2.00
Breeders, mixed, fine for borders . . . . .	.05	.30 \$2.00

Each. Doz. 100.



BED OF TULIPS.



## Tulips.—Continued.



SINGLE EARLY TULIPS.

### SINGLE EARLY TULIPS.

Tulips are perfectly hardy, and of easy culture, either within doors or in the open air. While they will thrive in almost any soil, that best adapted to their cultivation is a dry, sandy loam, fertilized with well-rotted cow manure. They may be planted any time from early in September till December, if the weather is favorable. The two classes of tulips, early and late, are subdivided into the Single and Double Tulips. All the single, and the early double varieties are recommended for forcing. The Duc van Tholl varieties are the favorites for house culture, as they bloom early, have very bright colors, and will do well in sand, moss, or water.

	Cents each.	Cents per doz.	Per hun.
Artus. Fine scarlet; very showy . . . . .	3	25	1.75
Alida Maria. White and crimson . . . . .	5	40	2.50
Bacchus. Rich dark crimson; dwarf habit; fine for bedding . . . . .	5	40	2.50
Bizard Verdict. Dwarf; golden yellow, crimson striped . . . . .	3	30	2.50
Bell Alliance. Fine scarlet . . . . .	3	30	2.00
Bride of Haarlem. Cherry red striped with white; beautiful and large . . . . .	8	75	5.50
Brutus. Red and yellow, striped . . . . .	5	35	2.50
Cardinal's Hat. Bright scarlet . . . . .	3	30	2.50
Chrysilora. Golden yellow; large flower . . . . .	5	50	3.25
Coleur Ponceau. Rosy red and white . . . . .	5	50	2.25
Cottage Maid. Rose pink, shaded white . . . . .	5	50	4.00
Crimson King. Bright crimson . . . . .	5	50	2.50
Duchess de Parma. Orange red, margined with yellow, large and fine . . . . .	3	30	2.00
Eleonora. Purple violet, white bordered . . . . .	5	40	2.50
Fire Flame. Bright red . . . . .	5	50	3.00
Joost Van Vondel White. Pure white; the largest and finest . . . . .	15	1.50	
La Remarkable. Dark purplish violet, with light border; extra fine . . . . .	5	50	3.00
Keizer's Kroon. Crimson scarlet, deeply edged, bright yellow, large and showy, very fine . . . . .	5	50	3.00
Lac Van Rhyn. Very dark violet, white border . . . . .	5	50	2.50
Paulus Potter. Beautiful dark violet . . . . .	5	35	2.50
Pax Alba. Pure waxy white; dwarf . . . . .	5	50	3.00
Princess Mary Ann. White rose shaded; very large . . . . .	5	40	3.00
Proserpine. Rose carmine; magnificent large flowers; very effective . . . . .	5	50	5.00
Pottebakker Scarlet. Very brilliant; large fine form . . . . .	5	50	3.00
Pottebakker White. Pure white; splendid large and showy flowers . . . . .	5	50	4.00
Purple Crown. Purple . . . . .	3	30	2.50
Queen Victoria. White; does well to force . . . . .	3	30	2.00
Rosa Mundi. White, shaded with rich rose . . . . .	3	30	2.50
Rose Grisdelin. White, rose shaded; fine for forcing . . . . .	5	50	3.25
Royal Standard. White, feathered with rosy crimson, very fine . . . . .	5	50	3.50
Snowball. Snow white, fine . . . . .	5	50	3.50
Standard. Golden red striped with yellow . . . . .	5	50	3.00
Vermilion Brilliant. Dazzling. Vermilion Scarlet. Splendid color; forces well . . . . .	5	40	2.75
Vesuvius. Red . . . . .	5	50	5.00
White Swan. Pure white . . . . .	5	50	3.50
Wouwerman. Splendid, dark violet . . . . .	5	20	20.0
Yellow Prince. Yellow . . . . .	5	50	3.00



## Tulips.—Continued.

## EARLY DWARF DUC VAN THOLL TULIPS.

	Cents each.	Cents per doz.
Crimson . . . . .	3	25
Gold Striped . . . . .	5	40
Red. Bordered with yellow . . . . .	3	25
Rose . . . . .	5	50
Scarlet . . . . .	3	25
Vermilion . . . . .	5	40
White . . . . .	10	75
Yellow . . . . .	5	50



SINGLE EARLY TULIP.

## DOUBLE TULIPS.

	Cents each.	Cents per doz.	Per 100.
Agnes. Scarlet; early . . . . .	8	75	
Alba Maxima. Pure white; early . . . . .	5	50	\$3.00
Blue Flag. Blue; late . . . . .	3	30	2.00
Duc van Tholl. Red and yellow; early . . . . .	3	20	1.50
Duke of York. Dark rose, bordered			

with white; very showy . . . . .	3	30	2.25
Imperator Rubrorum. Rich scarlet; early . . . . .	5	50	\$3.00
La Candeur. Pure white; early . . . . .	3	25	1.50
La Belle Alliance. Blue and white; late . . . . .	3	30	2.00
Mariage de ma Fille. Carmine, feathered with white; fine large flowers . . . . .	8	75	6.00
Murillo. White, shaded rose; large and fine . . . . .	5	40	2.75
Purple Crown. Bronze red; early . . . . .	3	30	2.00
Rex Rubrorum. Scarlet . . . . .	5	50	2.25
Salvator Rosea. Deep rose, flamed with white . . . . .	5	50	3.00
Tournesoll. Yellow; early . . . . .	5	50	4.00
Tournesoll. Red and yellow; very beautiful, one of the best for forcing	5	50	3.00
Turban Violet. Violet; early . . . . .	5	60	4.50
Yellow Rose . . . . .	3	30	1.75
The above sorts mixed . . . . .		30	2.00



PARROT TULIP.

## PARROT TULIPS.

Only for the open ground.

	Cents. each.	Cents per doz.	Per 100.
Constantinople. Red, streaked with orange . . . . .	3	30	\$2.00
Cafe Brun. Dark purple and yellow, . . . . .	3	30	2.00
Feu Brilliant. Rich, glossy crimson (rare) . . . . .	12	1.00	
Lutea Major. Yellow . . . . .	3	30	2.00
Markgraff. Yellow and red . . . . .	3	30	2.00
Perfecta. Red and yellow, striped . . . . .	3	30	2.00
Fine mixed . . . . .		25	1.75



## Tulip Species.

**CORNUTA.** (Chinese Dragon), yellow and red, very curious. 5 cts. each; 40 cents per doz.

**FLORENTINE ODORATA.** (Fragrant Tulip), pure yellow, beautifully fragrant, fine, long, well shaped flower, very desirable. 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.



TULIP JULIA.

### JULIA.

Resembling Greigii in color; very showy with distinct blotch at base of petals. 5 cents each; 50 cents per dozen.

### GESNERIANA.

A grand tulip, dazzling scarlet, with blue blotch at the base of petals, which gives it a very striking appearance. It is a very strong grower, and remains a long time in blossom. 5 cents each; 35 cents per dozen; \$2.00 per hundred.

### GREIGII.

Very distinct and beautiful; fiery scarlet; the base of petal blotched with black, bordered with yellow; foliage distinctly dotted and striped with black, making the whole plant very beautiful. 30 cents each.

### OCULIS SOLIS.

(Sun's Eye), crimson, with black eye; late blooming. 5 cts. each; 50 cents per dozen.

### PRÆCOX.

Very early bloomer, with flowers very large and beautifully blotched. 6 cents each; 60 cents per dozen.



TULIP PRÆCOX.

### CROWN IMPERIAL.

Handsome, well-known, spring blooming plants, with dark green foliage and clusters of pendant, bell-shaped flowers in all shades of color, between yellow and crimson.



CROWN IMPERIAL.

	Cents each.		Cents each.
Aurora. Orange red	25	Large Yellow	50
Crown on Crown. Red	25	Orange Crown	25
Large Red	50		

### DODOCATHEON MEDIA (American Cowslip).

Perfectly hardy, the flower resembling the Cyclamen, blooming in large clusters about 15 inches high, of a light lavender color with bright scarlet spot at the base of petal. The blooming season is very early in the spring. The roots resemble the Lily of the Valley roots, and, if wanted to bloom in the winter, should be potted in the autumn, and set away till they commence to grow. 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

### CALOCHORTUS (Butterfly Tulip).

Most charming for pot culture in the house, and require the same care as the above. The flowers are very brilliant, and resemble a butterfly in color and marking. The roots are not hardy, unless well protected. Fine Mixed Colors 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.



# Narcissus.

The Narcissus is a large and favorite family of early flowers, which include the daffodil and jonquil.

The single varieties are much employed for bedding, while the Polyanthus Narcissus succeeds well indoors, under the same treatment as that recommended for hyacinths.

## POLYANTHUS NARCISSUS.

Bazelman Major. White; yellow cup; very fine . . . .	Cents each 35
Double Roman. White with yellow; very fragrant; good forcer . . . . .	5
Gloriosa. White; orange cup yellow; large . . . . .	5
Grand Monarque. White; yellow cup; large . . . . .	10
Grand Soleil d'Or. Pure yellow; orange cup . . . . .	10
Grand Primo. White; citron cup . . . . .	10
Paper White. Pure white; very fragrant and early; forces well . . . . .	5

## DOUBLE NARCISSUS.

Alba Plena Odorata. Pure white; very double and fragrant. Each, 5 cts.; 30 cts. per doz.	
Incomparable. Large double yellow; very free flowering. Each, 3 cts.; 30 cts. per doz.	
Orange Phoenix. Soft sulphur with crimson centre; very showy and distinct	5 50
Van Sion. Large, double, deep golden-yellow flowers	5 35



## MIXED NARCISSUS.

Cents each. Cents Per doz.

## SINGLE NARCISSUS.

Cents each. Cents per doz. 100

Biflorus. Pure white perianth with yellow crown; excellent variety for cutting . . . . .	3	30	\$2.00
Bulbocodium. Dwarf, golden yellow; excellent for pot culture . . . . .	8	75	5.00
Bicolor Empress. Large golden trumpet, with a broad white perianth of great substance . . . . .	50	\$5.00	
Bicolor Horsfeldi. Orange trumpet with white perianth, one of the largest and best . . . . .	30	3.50	
Incomparable. Large primrose perianth with yellow crown . . . . .	5	40	3.00
Lorifolius Emperor. Large golden-yellow trumpet with light yellow perianth; flowers of great size and substance . . . . .	50	5.00	
Poeticus. White with red crown; very showy and fragrant . . . . .	3	20	1.25
Poeticus Ornatus. White with red crown, very early, excellent for forcing . . . . .	5	50	3.25
Trumpet Major. Large bright yellow; good for forcing . . . . .	5	60	4.50
Princeps, the True Giant. Sulphur perianth; deep yellow trumpet . . . . .	5	50	2.75



NARCISSUS BICOLOR HORSFELDI.

Trumpet Major. Large bright yellow; good for forcing . . . . . 5 60 4.50  
 Princeps, the True Giant. Sulphur perianth; deep yellow trumpet . . . . . 5 50 2.75



## JONQUILS.

	Cents each.	Cents per doz.	Per 100.
These are very desirable for forcing in pots or garden culture.			
Double Sweet Scented. Golden yellow, flowers very double and fragrant . . . . .	5	50	\$3.50
Single Sweet Scented. Deep yellow, very fragrant, valuable for pot culture . . . . .	3	25	2.00
Single Campenelle. Large yellow flowers, fragrant . . . . .	3	25	2.00

## Named Crocus.

(Improved Dutch.)

Large picked bulbs of finest quality.



CROCUS IN LAWN.

	Cents per doz.	Per 100
Albion. Dark violet; striped . . . . .	10	\$0.80
Caroline Chisholm. Pure white . . . . .	20	1.00
Cloth of Gold. Golden yellow; brown striped . . . . .	10	.60
Cloth of Silver. White . . . . .	10	.60
David Rizzio. Deep Purple; large . . . . .	15	1.00
Mammoth Golden Yellow. Extra fine: large . . . . .	20	1.25
Mont Blanc. Pure white; extra . . . . .	15	1.00
Garaboldi. D'k purple; very large . . . . .	15	1.00
Queen Victoria. Pure white; extra . . . . .	20	1.25
Sir Walter Scott. Lilac; striped, very large . . . . .	15	1.00

## Mixed Crocus.

	Cents per doz.	Per 100
Blue. Various shades . . . . .	10	50
Purple. Various shades . . . . .	10	50
Yellow. First size . . . . .	12	85
Yellow. Second size . . . . .	10	50
Striped. Various shades . . . . .	10	50
White. Various shades . . . . .	10	60
All Colors. Mixed . . . . .	10	50

## SCILLAS.

The Scillas are all quite hardy and adapted for cultivation in the open ground, and they are also very suitable for growing in pots. The flowers are borne in spikes of from six to twelve blooms each, the individual bell-like blossoms being gracefully pendant. One of the best spring flowers for edging and beds.

	Cents per doz.	per 100.
Scilla Amæna. Brilliant sky blue; good for pot culture . . . . .	30	\$1.75
Scilla Campanulata. Blue, bell-shaped flowers, borne on long spikes . . . . .	35	2.00
Scilla Nutans Rubra. Red on long spikes . . . . .		
„ Siberica or Præcox. Intense blue flowers; very dwarf and hardy . . . . .	25	1.50



SCILLA SIBERICA.

## SNOWDROPS.

The Snowdrop is the first of all flowers to herald the approach of spring. They flourish well in any soil, and bloom best if not transplanted oftener than once every three years. Being dwarf, they should be set near the edge of walks, where they show to advantage. They also flourish well in sand or moss, or in pots and baskets.

	Cents per doz.	Per 100.
Double . . . . .	25	\$1.50
Single . . . . .	15	1.00
Elwesii or Giant. This is the largest and earliest of all the snowdrops; flowers twice the size of the common variety . . . . .	45	3.00



## CROW YOUR OWN EASTER LILIES.

### The True Bermuda Easter Lily.

(Lilium Harrisii.)

Lilies are generally thought to be difficult to grow in the house as a pot plant. But the *L. Harrisii* is quite the reverse, being of easy culture, and blooming at a time when flowers are scarce and in great demand. If a number of bulbs are planted, a succession of flowers can be had from Christmas until Spring by keeping the bulbs in a cool place, and removing to a warm, sunny window to grow and blossom when wanted. Large bulbs which will produce from 5 to 8 large, pure white, trumpet-shape flowers, fragrant, should be potted as early as possible, and kept in a cool place until well rooted, which takes about 4 to 6 weeks, then they can be placed in a warm window to grow and blossom. A 6-inch pot is the proper size to use for growing the 7 to 9-inch bulb which is the best for house culture. Place the bulb near the top of pot, covering it about an inch. Sandy, rich loam should be used, and plenty of drainage put in the bottom of the pots; when about to bloom, water freely, and give plenty of air. The bulb can be ripened off by diminishing the watering, and in a few months can be started again and produce a second crop of flowers, frequently equal to the first.



LILIUM HARRISII.

**True Bermuda Easter Lily**, 5 to 7 inches in circumference, 15 cents each; 2 for 25 cents; \$1.25 per doz.

**True Bermuda Easter Lily**, 7 to 9 inches in circumference, 25 cents each; 3 for 60 cents; \$2.00 per doz.

**True Bermuda Easter Lily**, 9 to 11 inches in circumference, 35 cents each; 3 for \$1.00.

**Lilium Longiflorum.** Flowers same shape and color as *L. Harrisii*, and require the same treatment, but bloom about two weeks later, and do not grow as tall. Strong flowering bulbs, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents; \$1.25 per dozen.

**Lilium Candidum** (*St. Joseph's Lily*). The well-known old garden favorite, perfectly hardy, blooming in June when planted in the open border, and at Easter-time when grown in the house. They require the same treatment as the above. The flowers, which are borne on a straight stalk about three feet high, are of a beautiful, pure, waxy white, and fragrant. Strong bulbs produce from eight to fifteen flowers. Extra large bulbs, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents; \$1.25 per dozen.

The above three Lilies are extra strong selected bulbs for forcing, and make a charming collection when grown together. Add 3 cents per bulb and 25 cents per dozen if desired by mail. One each of the above three, postpaid, 50 cents.





## Lilies.

The beauty and grace of the Lily require no comment. They should be planted, as a general rule, in autumn. They thrive well in any good dry garden soil, and should be planted to a depth of six inches. To prevent them from being thrown out by the frost, they may be covered with litter or leaves. July and August is the usual season of blooming.

		Cents each.	Cents per doz.
<b>Auratum</b> ( <i>Queen of Lilies</i> ). White, with rich chocolate spots, and golden band through the centre of each petal.			
Extra strong flowering bulbs . . . . .		\$0.35	\$3.00
Second size flowering bulbs . . . . .		25	2.50
<b>Brownii</b> . White, shaded with brown; large foliage . . . . .			
		1.25	
<b>Candidum</b> . The old white garden lily . . . . .		10	1.00
<b>Candidum Flora Plena</b> . Double variety of the preceding . . . . .			
		35	3.50
<b>Canadense</b> . Orange, with black spots . . . . .		15	1.50
<b>Chalcedonicum</b> . Brilliant scarlet . . . . .		60	6.00
<b>Excelsum</b> . Creamy yellow . . . . .		50	5.00
<b>Humboldti</b> . Golden yellow, spotted with scarlet brown . . . . .		40	4.00
<b>Harrisii</b> . This variety has the valuable peculiarity of flowering three or four times in succession without rest; color pure white, and very fragrant . . . . .			
		25	2.00
<b>Longiflorum</b> . One of the earliest; pure white, and sweetly scented . . . . .		15	1.50
<b>Lancifolium Album</b> . Pure white . . . . .		40	4.00
<b>Lancifolium Roseum</b> . White, with rose spots . . . . .		20	1.50
<b>Lancifolium Rubrum</b> . White, with crimson spots . . . . .		20	1.50
<b>Lancifolium Monstrosum Album</b> . Pure white . . . . .		40	4.00
<b>Lancifolium Monstrosum Rubrum</b> . White and crimson . . . . .		40	4.00
<b>Superbum</b> . Orange red . . . . .		10	1.00
<b>Tigrinum</b> ( <i>Tiger Lily</i> ). Orange salmon, spotted black . . . . .		10	1.00
<b>Tigrinum Flora Plena</b> . Double variety of the above . . . . .		15	1.50
<b>Pulchellum</b> . Brilliant crimson, spotted with black . . . . .		50	5.00

## Iris.

(Fleur-de-Lis.)

**Iris Germanica**. They thrive well in any garden, and are perfectly hardy, with delicate fragrance. The colors are very numerous and varied, being borne on long stems, which make them desirable for cutting. Mixed varieties (strong plants), 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen.

**Iris Suseana**. Early flowering, of large size; color grayish-blue, finely netted with black; requires protection if planted in the open ground. It forces very easy if given plenty of water and grown slow. 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

**Iris**, with a single exception, — *Pavonia*, — are quite hardy, and make very effective border-plants. Their beautiful, soft, velvety bloom and rich coloring make them general favorites where known. They may remain undisturbed for years.

		Cents each.	Cents per doz.
<b>Iris Pavonia</b> ( <i>Peacock Iris</i> ). White, blotched with blue . . . . .		\$0.03	\$0.30
„ <b>Persica</b> ( <i>Persian</i> ). White, blue, purple, and yellow . . . . .		10	1.00
„ <b>Anglica</b> ( <i>English</i> ). Fine, mixed . . . . .		5	50
„ <b>Hispanica</b> ( <i>Spanish</i> ). Fine . . . . .		5	40

## Cyclamen Persicum Giganteum.

A charming plant, especially for parlor and conservatory decoration. Should be grown in the same soil as recommended for Lilioms. Plant in four or six-inch pots, and when the leaves are well grown, place in a sunny situation, when they will soon show a profusion of graceful flowers of great beauty and fragrance.

### Cyclamen Persicum Giganteum.

	Cents each.	Cents per doz.
Pure white . . . . .	50	\$5.00
Rubrum . . . . .	35	3.50
Mixed . . . . .	25	2.50

## Cyclamen Repandum.

Rose-red with bright purple basal spot. Very profuse bloomer, and will live out with protection. When grown for winter blooming, they should be kept cool and moist. Flower from February to May.

	Cents each.	Per doz.
Cyclamen Repandum. . . . .	30	\$2.50



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CYCLAMEN REPANDUM.

## Gloxinias.

These are most charming plants for the parlor or conservatory, being almost unsurpassed for beauty of flower and richness in coloring, and at the same time not difficult to grow, while giving a long duration of bloom if planted successionaly during the fall and winter months. Our strain is an exceedingly fine one; the colors being very varied, they are really magnificent, and cannot fail to give great satisfaction.

	Cents each.	Per doz.
Gloxinia. Assorted colors . . . . .	25	\$2.50
" " " Extra large . . . . .	35	3.50

## Peonies.

These have become indispensable to every garden; some of them begin to bloom with the Tulip, while others finish with the Summer Rose. They are all hardy, and admirably adapted to the climate of our most northern States, growing well in almost all situations, and even flourishing under the shade of trees.



GLOXINIA FLOWER.

	Cents each.	Per doz.
Double Peony. Various colors, . . . . .	25	\$2.50
Tenuifolia Flore Pleno. Flowers very double crimson, of a shade rivalling the Jacqueminot Rose. The foliage is remarkably pretty, being dense and finely cut, like a fern . . . . .	50	5.00

## Helleborus Niger.

(THE CHRISTMAS OR LENTEN ROSE.)

A beautiful hardy herbaceous plant, flowering in great profusion early in spring, and if grown in the house or in frames, will bloom during the Christmas holidays. The flowers, 2 to 3 inches in diameter, range through all shades of white, red, rose, and purple, and some are spotted and shaded with other colors, making them charmingly beautiful. (Ready for delivery in Nov.)

	Cents each.	Per doz.
Helleborus Niger . . . . .	30	\$3.00
" " by mail . . . . .	35	3.50





ANEMONES.

## Anemones.

The Anemone is well adapted for masses, borders, or for pot-culture. It does best in sandy loam. The beds, or clumps, should be covered with leaves or other light covering during winter.

	Cents per doz.
Double, mixed colors . . . . .	25
Single, mixed colors . . . . .	25
Named varieties . . . . .	70
Hortensis seedlings . . . . .	50

## Ranunculus.

For form and brightness of color, the Ranunculus vies with the Rose, and is a great favorite with those who have seen the perfection to which it can be grown. Treatment similar to the Anemone, and, with a little more protection during winter and spring, will insure a splendid display of flowers.

	Cents per doz.
Persian, double, mixed . . . . .	25
Turban, double, mixed . . . . .	25
Double French seedlings . . . . .	25

## Lily of the Valley.

These pretty flowers do well in shady places, where no other flowers will succeed. They grow well in pots, and, with a little forcing, may be had in flower by the new year.

	Cents per doz.	Cents per hund.
Flowering pips, imported . . . . .	25	\$2.00
Strong clumps, imported . . . . .	\$5.00	

## Hardy Gladiolus.

(The Bride.)

Pure white, of the Gladiolus Colville. They can be forced easily, and produce long spikes of fine white flowers. When grown in the open ground they require protection.

Colville Alba. The Bride . . . . .	8 cents each, 75 cents per dozen.
Colville Rosea. . . . .	8 cents each, 75 cents per dozen.



AMARYLLIS VITTATA.

## Amaryllis.

This is a very desirable winter-blooming, conservatory plant. The flowers are large, bell-shaped, lily-like, varying in color from the richest crimson to pure white striped with crimson or scarlet. As pot plants they are probably unsurpassed by any other, thriving well in an ordinary parlor.

	Each.	Doz.
Belladonna Major. White, flushed and tipped with deep rose . . . . .	\$ .30	\$3.00
Formosissima. Rich crimson; a desirable border plant . . . . .	.25	2.50
Vallotta Purpurea. Large crimson-scarlet flowers, in heads of five or six blooms each, which remain a long time in perfection . . . . .	.50	4.50
Vittata. Magnificent varieties, flaked and striped with the most striking tints . . . . .	1.00	10.00

## Oxalis.

AN excellent class of small bulbs, which are very popular. The yellow Oxalis is the famous Shamrock of Ireland. They are beautiful for baskets, vases, pots, etc., and delight in sandy loam. Six to eight bulbs should be planted in a pot. When blooming ceases, lay the pots on their side, and do not water till the following September, when the plants again start into growth.

	Cents each.	Cents per doz.
Alba. Pure white . . . . .	5	50
Bowiei. Beautiful large rose . . .	3	30
Cernua. Yellow . . . . .	3	30
Hista Rosea. Rose . . . . .	5	50
Versicolor. Red, violet, and white	5	50
Fine Mixed . . . . .	3	25
Yellow Mammoth . . . . .	10	\$1.00



OXALIS.

## Freesia Refracta Alba Odorata.

THESE plants are grown from bulbs, and for the past few winters have produced some of the most beautiful and fragrant flowers ever offered by our florists. The flowers are very handsome, tube-shaped, pure white, blotched with yellow, and borne on a slender stem about twenty inches in height, with narrow foliage. They are peculiarly graceful, and

emit a fine perfume for a long time after cutting. The bulbs are rather small and irregular in form, and should be potted in 4 to 6 inch pots, four or more bulbs in a pot, from August to November, in any good soil of a sandy texture, to get well started for winter blooming. Their treatment is simple, and about the same as other small bulbs. For house culture they are particularly pleasing plants to grow, and should receive early attention in their planting.

Flowering bulbs, by mail, per dozen, 50 cents; per hundred, \$2.50. Per thousand bulbs, quotations on application. Extra large bulbs, 10 cents each; 75 cents per dozen.



FREESIA REFRACTA ALBA ADORATA.

## Snowflake.

(Leucojum.)

THESE are hardy bulbs, producing a snowdrop-like flower on a spike about one foot high.

	Cents each.	Cents per doz.
Vernum ( <i>Spring Snowflake</i> ).		
White, tipped green . . .	5	50
Aestivum ( <i>Summer Snowflake</i> ).		
White tipped . . .	5	50



# Ornithogalum Arabicum.

(Star of Bethlehem.)



ORNITHOGALUM ARABICUM.

A beautiful variety, producing a large spike of pure white flowers, with black centre forming a star.

They can be grown very easily as a house plant for winter decoration, as they are of the easiest culture, are perfectly hardy, and will stand the winter without protection.

Price, 15 cents each; \$1.25 per dozen.

## Miscellaneous Bulbs.

	Cents each.	Cents per doz.
Allium. Desirable as a border-plant, perfectly hardy, and very ornamental. Plant in October or November, three inches deep and two inches apart . . . . .	10	\$1.00
Anomethæa. A perfect gem for pot-culture; will flower in the garden if planted in May, but not so well as in the house . . . . .	5	60
Arum Dracunculæ. The well-known dragon plant; bears a very dark purple flower. Plant early in spring . . . . .	20	
Babiana. Very showy window-plants, with various colored flowers. Plant in October, in light, sandy soil . . . . .	5	50
Calla Lily ( <i>Lily of the Nile</i> ) . . . . .	20	2.00
Chionodoxa Lucillæ ( <i>Glory of the Snow</i> ). One of the most charming bulbs in cultivation, and thoroughly hardy. It is a vigorous grower, and free bloomer, of a brilliant sky blue, with white centre . . . . .	5	40
Colchicum Autumnale. The autumn-flowering crocus . . . . .	5	50
Dielytra Spectabilis. Very showy in the herbaceous border; blooms early in spring . . . . .	25	
Erythronium ( <i>Dog's Tooth Violets</i> ). Foliage variegated; very beautiful and quite hardy . . . . .	5	50
Frittelaria Meleagris. The well-known guinea-hen flower; very handsome for pots and borders . . . . .	8	75
Hyacinthus Candicans. A magnificent species, with flower stems three feet high, bearing pure white, large, bell-shaped flowers . . . . .	10	75
Ixias and Sparaxis. Handsome flowering bulbs of the most brilliant colors. No window-garden considered complete without them.		
Ixias. Finest mixed . . . . .	5	25
Sparaxis. Finest mixed . . . . .	5	25
Milla Biflora. Snow white, star-shaped flowers; excellent for cutting, keeping fully a week in water; forces well . . . . .	10	75
Spirea Japonica. A hardy herbaceous plant; excellent for forcing; producing numerous sprays of pure white flowers . . . . .	15	1.50
Triteleia Uniflora. A pretty, hardy plant; a real acquisition to the spring garden. Flowers white, with a delicate band of blue along each petal . . . . .	5	50
Tritoma Uvaria. A showy summer-flowering plant, blooming freely in any good garden soil. Plant early in spring, and lift the roots in fall, or protect carefully during the winter . . . . .	30	3.00

## Select Hardy Shrubs.

### HYDRANGEA PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA.

The beautiful masses of these flowers, seen upon the lawns at Newport and other places, were highly commented upon; blossoming late in the season, and in such profusion they have become very popular.

Ornamental Shade and Fruit trees, Grapevines, Currants, and small fruits of all kinds get a better start if PLANTED OUT IN THE FALL; and we should advise all who can to order as soon as possible. Complete List will be mailed free on application.

### Hardy Perennial Plants.

#### GIANT PANSIES.

Fine young plants in proper condition to set this Fall.

Parker & Wood Prize, Bergnot Giant, Cassiris Giant, and Trimardeau.

40 cents per doz.; \$3.00 per 100.



HYDRANGEA PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA.

#### PRIZE HOLLYHOCKS.

Extra choice stock in separate colors. These are young plants, and will stand the severest winter, with scarcely the loss of a plant.

\$1.50 per doz. this Fall.



CACTUS.

and when not in bloom their grotesque forms are very attractive.

### Rare Cactus Collections.

For Fifty Cents we will send, postpaid, FOUR choice free-blooming Cactus plants, of curious shapes. For One Dollar we send, postpaid, TEN choice sorts, each one distinct in habit of growth and blossom.

This collection is extremely desirable and quite distinct from any plants of this sort. They require no care, and in a short time will develop to specimens of rare beauty. Their large flowers, of exquisite fragrance, are perfectly dazzling,



RESURRECTION PLANT.

### Resurrection Plant.

The day of miracles has not ceased. A wonder of creation, withered and dried up, resembling a bird's nest. Place it in water; what a transformation! The apparently dead looking bunch has now unfolded, and is transformed into a lovely mossy-green plant. In its native home, when the dry season sets in, the plant curls up into a round ball, and is wafted by the winds from place to place; when it reaches a moist place it unfolds itself, makes new roots, and commences to thrive in its new home.

By mail, 10 cents each; 3 for 25 cents.



## Flower Seeds for Present Sowing.

**PARKER & WOOD'S Prize Show Pansies.** We offer these seeds as a specialty that have been carefully selected from named EXHIBITION FLOWERS by a distinguished



PARKER & WOOD'S GIGANTIC PRIZE SHOW PANSY.

fully spotted and marbled. The finest strain in cultivation. Per pkt., 50 cents.

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**Heartsease (Pansy) "Bug-not's."** An extra fine variety, from a celebrated French grower. The flowers are very large, and of great substance, each petal bearing a large blotch or stain, which covers it almost entirely; the colors are both splendid and extremely varied. The plant is vigorous, with large leaves, above which the flowers are raised by stout stalks, showing them to the best advantage. Choice mixed, per packet, 25 cents.

**Calceolaria, Thompson's "Dalkeith Park" Strain.** Large flowers of fine form and substance, rich colors, beautiful. Per pkt., 50 cents.

	Cents per pkt.		Cents per pkt.
Begonia, Tuberous-rooted. Extra fine . . . . .	50	Myosotis (Forget-me-not) . . . . .	10
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# ROSES.

SELECT LIST OF THE CHOICEST ROSES FOR FALL PLANTING,  
OR FOR WINTER FLOWERING IN THE HOUSE.

## ROSES.

No garden, however small, is complete without Roses. The Rose stands, as it has for years, "Queen of the Flowers;" with a proper selection of kinds, we can have our roses from June till heavy frosts come with withering touch.

Every year adds a large number of varieties to our lists, new at least in name if not in character; and it shall be our special endeavor, after careful comparisons, to point out such of them as show a decided improvement in their leading characteristics over pre-existing varieties.

The following brief hints may be of service to the inexperienced.



**TIME TO PLANT.** All the hardy kinds can be planted out in fall, as soon as the plants are dormant after the first frost; the soil will be so thoroughly settled about the roots by the winter rains, that the plant will commence forming new roots early in the spring, and will rapidly make strong and luxuriant shoots.

The Tea-scented, and others that are pot grown, should not be planted till all danger of spring frosts is over.

**SOIL.** The most suitable soil is a strong, rich loam, mixed with about one quarter its bulk of well-decomposed stable manure. It is necessary that the ground be dug at least a foot and a half deep.

It may safely be laid down as a rule, that it is impossible to make the soil too rich for the rose.

During the growing season frequent watering of liquid manure, made either of cow manure or guano. This stimulant will keep the plants vigorous and healthy, and will amply repay the attention in size and quality of blossom. In using it avoid as much as possible getting it upon the foliage, especially when the plants are in bloom.

**SITUATION.** The best situation for the rose is an eastern or northern exposure; if slightly shaded from the intense heat of midday, the bloom will be more perfect and continuous.

**PRUNING.** The hardy sorts may be pruned in March or April, the tender varieties should be left till a month later.

Close pruning will produce quality, and long pruning quantity of bloom.

Climbing roses need comparatively little pruning, the tips only of the shoots require to be taken off, and any weak and unripe shoots cut out altogether.



## Roses, — Continued.

CHOICE HYBRID PERPET-  
UAL ROSES.

50 cts. each; \$4.00 per dozen.

- Alfred Colomb. Bright, fiery red, large, full, and of fine globular form; very fragrant and superb.
- Baroness Rothschild. Light pink, large and double; very distinct and beautiful.
- Beauty of Waltham. Bright rosy crimson.
- Captain Christy. Delicate flesh color, deeper centre, very large; fine in autumn.
- Charles Lefebvre. Brilliant crimson, large.
- Countess of Oxford. Bright carmine, shaded purple, very large and full.
- Dr. Andry. Rich rosy crimson, large and full.
- Duke of Edinburgh. Brilliant crimson, shaded with maroon, full, regular form; extra fine.
- Dupuy Jamain. Bright cherry-red, large and full.
- Etienne Levet. Carmine, large, full and exquisitely formed; one of the best.
- E. Y. Teas. Deep cerise-red, large, full, perfect globular form; very fragrant.
- Fisher Holmes. Brilliant crimson, flowers finely formed, double, very fragrant; extra fine.
- Francois Michelin. Deep-carmine rose, very large, fine form, free bloomer, fragrant.
- General Jacqueminot. Rich crimson, of fine shape and exquisite fragrance.
- Gloire Lyonnaise. White, slightly tinted with yellow, full and of good shape, very handsome in the bud, fragrant; extra fine.
- Jean Libaud. Scarlet-crimson, shaded, very large.
- John Hopper. Bright rose, with carmine centre.
- Jules Margottin. Deep rose, large and fine.

La France. Silvery rose, changing to pink; a most constant bloomer, very fragrant; beautiful both in flower and bud.

Louis Van Houtte. Crimson-maroon, large, highly perfumed; one of the best.

Mabel Morrison. Pure white, tinged with rose in autumn; one of the best whites.

Madame Victor Verdier. Carmine-crimson, large and full, fine form.

Mlle. Annie Wood. Beautiful clear red, large and full, fine form.

Mlle. Eugenie Verdier. Silvery rose, large globular flowers.

Madame Gabriel Luizet. Delicate, silvery pink, large, full, finely cupped, fragrant.

Magna Charta. Bright pink, suffused with carmine, very large and full, fine form; extra.

Marshall P. Wilder. Cherry-carmine, large and full, an abundant bloomer.

Mervelle de Lyon. White, with a slight tinge of satiny rose, large, and of excellent form; a superb variety, extra fine.

Mrs. Harry Turner. Crimson-scarlet, maroon shaded, flowers large and very fine.

Paul Neyron. Dark rose, very large flower, free bloomer, rich fragrance.

Prince Camille de Rohan. Dark-crimson-maroon, shaded with blood red, a splendid rose.

Ulrich Brunner. Cherry red, very vigorous, free, large, and full; a most reliable variety.

White Baroness. Pure white, immense flowers.

Xavier Olibo. Dark velvety crimson, large and full; one of the finest dark roses; fragrant.

TEA ROSES FOR WINTER  
BLOOMING.

50 cents each; \$4.00 per dozen.

Second size, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen.

- Bon Silene. Carmine, tinted with salmon.
- Catherine Mermet. Bright silvery pink, large, full, fragrant.
- Cornelia Cook. White, sometimes tinged with pale yellow, very large and full.
- Isabella Sprunt. Sulphur-yellow, very beautiful.
- Madame Lombard. Salmon, shaded with carmine, large and full, very fragrant.
- Nephtos. Pale yellowish-white, large buds.
- Perle des Jardines. Deep canary yellow, free grower and very profuse bloomer, very fragrant.
- Saffron. Deep fawn, free bloomer.

# Strawberry Plants.

## THE CULTIVATION OF THE STRAWBERRY.



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We consider the following the best system for cultivating the strawberry.

Set your plants about one foot apart in the rows, and the rows three feet apart (it would take about 15,000 plants per acre at this distance), and allow them to make runners to fill up a space of about 12 to 14 inches wide; that would give you a space about 22 inches wide for a path.

It is claimed that one can get 2,000 quarts more fruit off the same ground grown in these narrow rows than by allowing them to run all over the ground, and the fruit of better quality.

They should have from 15 to 20 cords stable manure per acre, or one ton of ground bone,  $\frac{1}{2}$  ton muriate of potash, and 400 lbs. nitrate of soda, to be thoroughly worked into the soil.

In field culture, they should be worked once a week with cultivator, and gone over by hand once in two weeks; care should be taken after runners start, to work cultivator al-

ways the same way, to prevent breaking runners.

They should be mulched in fall after ground is frozen, to protect from thawing and freezing during the winter, and part of the mulch should remain during the fruiting season.

Any good corn land will raise strawberries, if properly fertilized.

For garden culture, set plants one foot apart in the row, and the rows two feet apart; keep the runners cut off and otherwise carry out the instructions given above.

### POT-GROWN PLANTS.

Those who want strawberries in perfection next season, and have neglected setting them in the spring, should now put in pot-grown plants. They can be set any time desired, in hot and dry weather, with scarcely the loss of a plant.

They are properly packed for shipment so as not to disturb the roots.

We offer, this season, a large variety of well grown potted plants, of the best and most popular kinds in cultivation, ready for shipping August to October.

Layer plants will make very little growth this year, and therefore lose one season before you can secure a good crop of fruit.

We have all the leading varieties of layer plants ready for shipment, September to October.

**THE BELMONT** is the leading strawberry. It has proved a successful berry in all kinds of soil, and in all climates where strawberries are grown. Plants were sold and sent to all parts of the United States, and the testimonials to date show the results to be most favorable in all quarters. It may not be quite as productive as some other varieties, but the keeping quality with the general excellence of the fruit make it one of the most valuable, especially for home use.

Pot-grown plants, per doz., 50c.; per hundred, \$2.50; per thousand, \$20.00.

Layer plants, " 30c.; " 1.00; " 10.00.

**THE GOLD (P).** This new berry is a seedling from the Jersey Queen, and is noted for its fine quality. It has proved to be a strong grower, averaging well in this respect, with the best, as it also does in the yield. The color is light, with gold seeds, very sweet, fine flavor, season long, from medium to late, making new plants rapidly.

Pot-grown plants, per doz., 50c.; per hundred, \$2.50.

Layer plants, " 30c.; " 1.00.

**BUBACH'S NO. 5 (P).** This strawberry is a valuable variety for market, of extraordinary size, and very productive, of bright scarlet color, season early to medium, moderately firm, plants grow to a remarkable size.

Pot-grown plants, per doz. 50c.; per hundred, \$2.50.

Layer plants, " 40c.; " 1.00; per thousand, \$10.00.





### Strawberry Plants.—(Continued.)

**THE JESSIE** is a seedling of the Sharpless; perfect blossom, ripens early; the plant is a luxuriant grower, never showing the least trace of rust. The fruit is extra large, even to the last picking; the colors are even, the flesh so firm as to ship long distances, and the quality of the best.

Pot-grown plants, per doz., 50c.; per hundred, \$2.50.

Layer plants, " 30c.; " 1.00.

**THE JEWELL (P).** One of the finest varieties, and is very productive of large size, high-colored fruit. Season, medium; color, bright red to crimson. Berry, solid and firm.

Pot-grown plants, per doz., 50c.; per hundred, \$3.00.

Layer plants, " 40c.; " 2.00.

**CRIMSON CLUSTER.** From the description given by the introducer, it proves to be very productive. Berries large, rich crimson color, and borne profusely in clusters. The habit of the plant is vigorous, and the berries are carried high above the ground.

Pot-grown plants, per doz., 50c.; per hundred, \$2.50.

Layer plants, " 30c.; " 1.00.

**THE WARFIELD.** Firm, solid flesh of exquisite flavor, color crimson, of large size, good form, and productive. Berries are borne well above the ground. This we consider a good berry for family use or market.

Pot-grown plants, per doz., 50c.; per hundred, \$3.00.

Layer plants, " 30c.; " 1.00.

**PARRY.** A splendid variety of large size, beautiful color, and excellent flavor. Berries are very solid, fine shape, and uniform in size, very productive.

Pot-grown plants, per doz., 50c.; per hundred, \$2.50.

Layer plants, " 30c.; " 1.00.

**JERSEY QUEEN.** One of the best light varieties, productive and of large size, uniform in shape. The fruit commences to ripen with the earliest varieties, and continues till the latest.

Pot-grown plants, per doz., 50c.; per hundred, \$2.50.

Layer plants, " 30c.; " \$1.00; per thousand, \$5.00.

### STANDARD VARIETIES.

#### POT GROWN.

Those marked (P) are pistillate and will not fruit alone, but should be placed near some perfect-flowered variety.

**SHARPLESS.** A superb variety; fruit very large, sweet, rich, and juicy.

Per dozen, 50 cts.; per 100, \$2.50; per 1,000, \$20.00.

**CHARLES DOWNING.** One of the best for general cultivation; fine flavor.

Per dozen, 50 cts.; per 100, \$2.50; per 1,000, \$20.00.

**DUCHESS.** The best early variety for general cultivation; large; very productive.

Per dozen, 50 cts.; per 100, \$2.50; per 1,000, \$20.00.

**PIONEER.** Early; bright red color; large size; of excellent quality.

Per dozen, 50 cts.; per 100, \$2.50.

**MINER'S PROLIFIC.** Berries large, deep crimson color, with a rich, aromatic flavor.

Per dozen, 50 cts.; per 100, \$2.50; per 1,000, \$20.00.

**CRESCENT SEEDLING. (P)** Very prolific; succeeds in all soils; fair size; early.

Per dozen, 50 cts.; per 100, \$2.50.

**WILSON'S ALBANY.** The old standard variety; large, and very productive.

Per dozen, 50 cts.; per 100, \$2.50; per 1,000, \$20.00.

**MOUNT VERNON.** An excellent late market variety; large.

Per dozen, 50 cts.; per 100, \$2.50.

**CUMBERLAND.** Color a beautiful red; rather soft; early, and holds out to quite late.

Per dozen, 50 cts.; per 100, \$2.50.

**MANCHESTER. (P)** A strong, vigorous grower, wonderfully productive, bearing uniformly large fruit of a bright, glossy, scarlet color.

Per dozen, 50 cts.; per 100, \$2.50; per 1,000, \$20.00.

**MAY KING.** A seedling of the Crescent, with perfect blossoms, and said to be even earlier. Plant vigorous, healthy, and productive; fruit large, very bright scarlet, and best quality.

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*Layer Plants of all Standard Varieties, 30 cts. per doz.; \$1. per 100; \$5. per 1,000.*





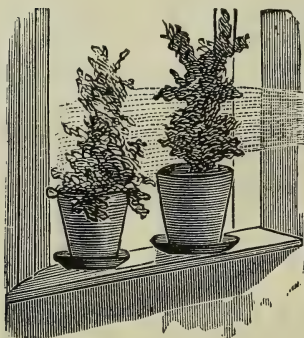
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Of beautiful designs and various sizes, and are made to swing, so that they can be easily moved out of the way.

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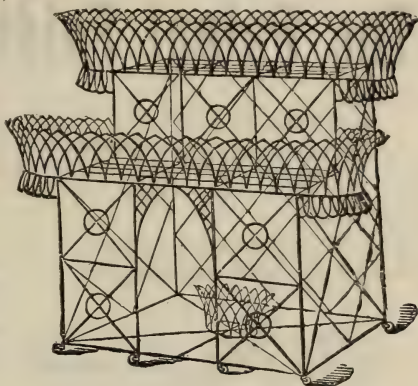
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9 "	.15	.05	1.25	1.75	9.00	3.50	12.50
10 "	.18	.06	1.75	2.25	12.00	4.00	16.00
11 "	.20	.08	2.25	2.75	15.00	5.00	20.00
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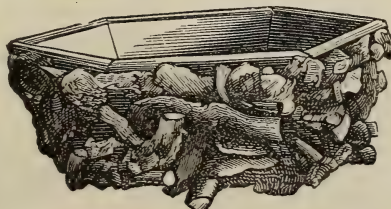


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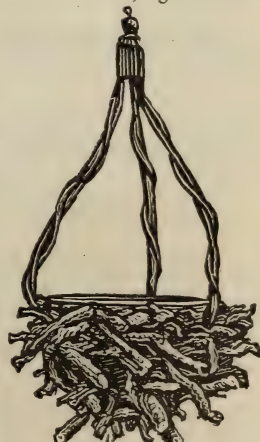


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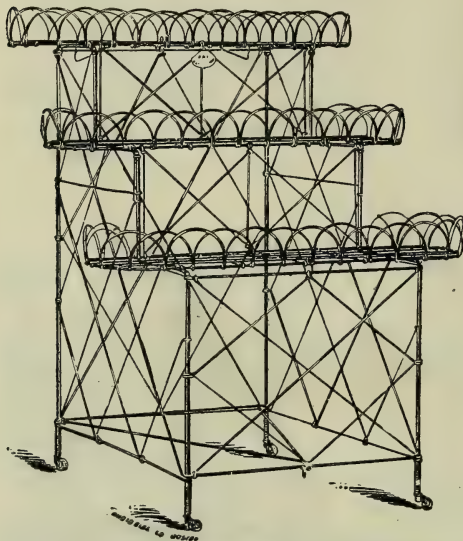


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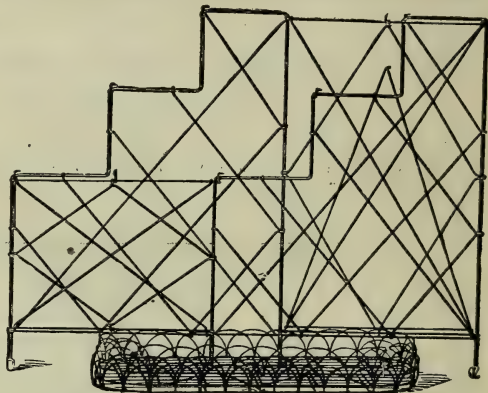
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### MEASUREMENT OF TWO-SHELF STAND.

Width of side on bottom, just above casters, from front to back, 18 in.  
 Width of front and back, 23 in.  
 Floor space occupied when open, 23 in. front x 18 in. side.  
 Width of shelf, front to back, 8½ in. top, 9 in. bottom.  
 Length of shelf (notice the shelves project 6½ in. over each side of the frame, which is only 23 in. wide), 36 in.  
 Height of wire framework around each shelf, 3 in.  
 " between each shelf, 8 in.  
 " from floor to bottom of first shelf, 20 in.  
 " " " second or top shelf, 28 in.  
 " " " extreme top of stand, 31 in.  
 Size of single frame when closed, 3 ft. 5 in. Shelves, 36 in. long, 2 ft. 5½ in. high.  
 Capacity, 14 6-in. pots with saucers; if smaller pots, capacity greater.

**Retail Price, \$3.75 each**, or same price as the old style are mostly sold at.

#### *Special Price to the Trade.*

TO THE TRADE. — They are packed ½ dozen in a crate. Size of crate, 5 ft. long, 15 in. wide, 3 ft. 3 in. high, weight about 100 lbs.; weight of single stand, 12 lbs. each.

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Width of side on bottom, just above casters, from front to back, 26 in.  
 Width of front and back, 19½ in.  
 Floor space occupied when open, 26 in. front x 19½ in. side.  
 Width of shelf, front to back, top 8 in.; middle 8½ in.; bottom 9 in.  
 Length of shelf (notice the shelves project 5¼ in. over each side of the frame, which is only 19½ in. wide), 29 in.  
 Height of wire framework around each shelf, 3 in.  
 " between each shelf, 8 in.  
 " from floor to bottom of first shelf, 28 in.  
 " " " second or top shelf, 36 in.  
 " " " extreme top of stand, 39 in.  
 Size of single frame when closed, 3 ft. 11 in. Shelves, 29 in. long, 3 ft. 1 in. high.  
 Capacity, 18 6-in. pots with saucers; if smaller pots, capacity greater.

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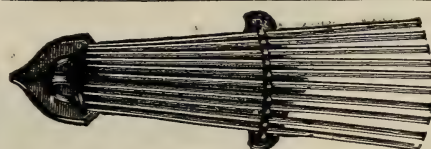
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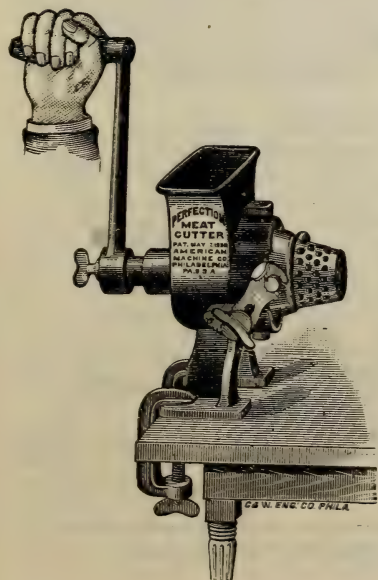
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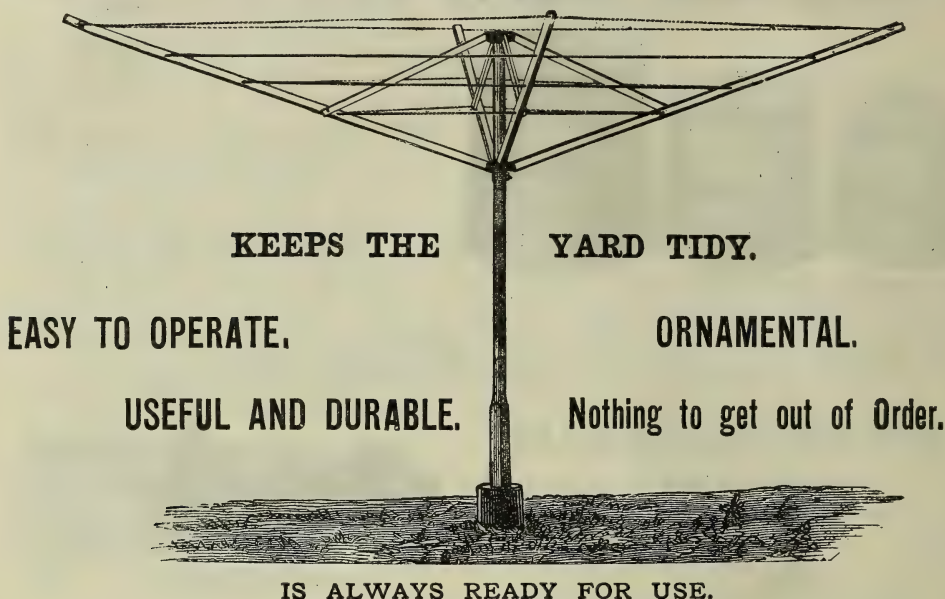
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„ 2....	2 pounds.	2.75	2.25
„ 3....	3 pounds.	4.00	3.25



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# THE PARKER & WOOD'S IXL CLOTHES DRYER.



**KEEPS THE YARD TIDY.**

**EASY TO OPERATE.**

**ORNAMENTAL.**

**USEFUL AND DURABLE.**

**Nothing to get out of Order.**

**IS ALWAYS READY FOR USE.**

The P. & W. IXL Clothes Dryer is simple, easily worked and understood; ornamental, displacing hosts of "eye-sores"; combining the greatest amount of line in the smallest space; drying the clothes in one-half the usual time; giving full use of a yard for flowers, etc.; standing in one spot to hang out or take in washing; can be spread or taken in in less than one minute; no paths to shovel, no mud to go through. It is the very best and cheapest dryer in use.

Size No. 45, 110 feet manila line . . . net, \$4.00	Size No. 46, 150 feet manila line . . . net, \$4.75
Size No. 49, 110 feet line . . . net, 5.00	Size No. 50, 150 feet line . . . net, 5.50

The Nos. 49 and 50 Clothes Dryers are the same in general style as the Nos. 45 and 46, but are made with extra oiled arms and post, and are the only Clothes Dryers with Galvanized Iron Trimmings, which will not rust. They are rigged with best Thread Cotton Line, which will not kink.

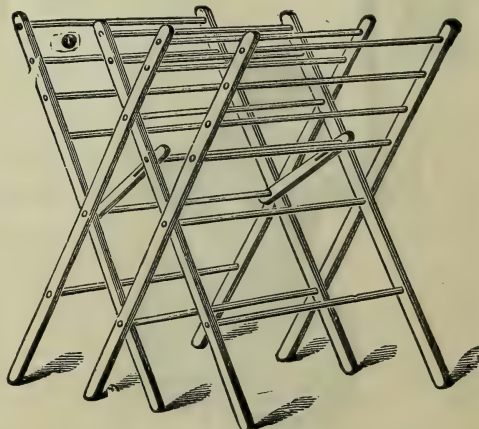
## CRAM'S Patent Folding Clothes-Horse.

**The Most Popular Horse ever sold.**

Perhaps the strongest recommendation that can be given on folding horse, is to refer to the immense numbers that are now in use. They are truly a boon to the housekeeper, and one will wear a lifetime.

### NET PRICES.

Size No. 3 has 40 feet of space . . . \$ .60
Size No. 3½ has 50 feet of space . . . .70
Size No. 4 has 60 feet of space . . . .80

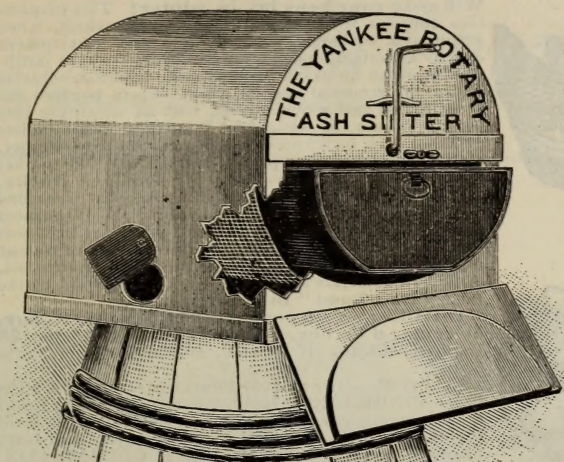


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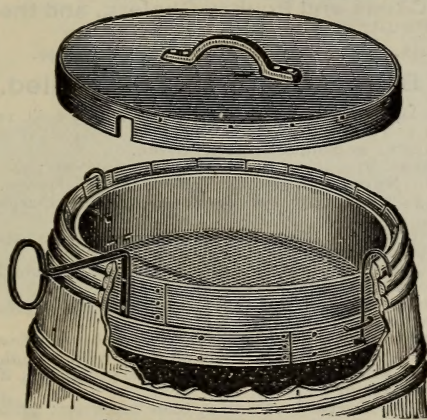
**ROTARY ASH SIFTER.**

It is Dust Proof,  
Easily Operated,  
Simple in Construction.  
Well Made and Durable.

PRICE, \$2.00.

**THE CHAMPION BARREL COAL SIFTER**, the best Barrel Coal Sifter in the Market.

Includes Painted Cover fitted to Sifter. Net Price, 70 Cents.



*Champion Barrel Coal Sifter.*

**THE CHALLENGE  
STEP LADDER.**

In the present construction of this ladder, the step-supports do not pass through the steps, as formerly, but are inserted into grooves cut in the edges of the steps; and all the parts are locked and fastened by a bolt passing through the hole in such a manner as to secure great strength and firmness, at the same time giving it a very finished mechanical appearance. We have also very much improved the back standard by such a combination of braces as to render the breaking of any part almost an impossibility, and to cause the ladder to stand much more steadily.

*Challenge Step Ladders*, 3 to 12 steps high, price, per step, 35 cents.

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**PARIS HILL STEP LADDER.**

Price . . . . . 30 cents per step.

**OXFORD STEP LADDER.**

Price . . . . . 20 cents per step.



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**Hose Reels, Lawn Sprinklers, full assortment.**



## POULTRY SUPPLIES.

Special Prices to the Trade. We are the New England Agents for HAVENS' CONDITION POWDERS and RUST'S EGG PRODUCER.



Will make your hens lay in winter! This preparation supplies those chemical substances which, when assimilated by fowls, produce eggs and development exactly as certain foods produce milk in cows, or fertilizers increase crops. It contains, in addition, valuable tonics and remedial agents, which ensure **perfect assimilation** and robust health, without which the best results cannot be obtained. It makes tardy pullets prompt to lay, increases egg production **at all seasons**, shortens the moulting period, and fits fowls for market early. It is equally valuable for **Turkeys, Ducks, Geese, and Hens**. In short, it is just what is needed to make egg-producing and fowl-raising one of the most profitable of pursuits. It can be fed every day at a cost of from **one-third of a cent to two-thirds of a cent a week** for each fowl, according to the size purchased. Although moderate in price, it is not too cheap to be the best "Egg Food" in existence.

**PRICES:**—1 lb. package, 25 cents; 2½ lb. box, 50 cents; 6 lb. box, \$1.00; 10 lb. box, \$1.50; 25 lb. keg, \$3.25. If by mail, add 16 cents per lb. for postage.

**NOTICE.**—The manufacturers say of it: "RUST'S EGG PRODUCER is superior to any other Egg Food for preventing and curing diseases; but we are confident that there is **only one real cure for gapes and fowl cholera**, and that is our HAVENS' CLIMAX CONDITION POWDER."

## HAVENS' CLIMAX CONDITION POWDER.

The Only Positive Preventive and Cure for Gapes and Poultry Cholera, and the Best Medicine for Horses, Cattle, Poultry, Sheep, and Hogs.

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## HAVENS' ROUP PILLS. 48 in a Box. 25 Cents. Box mailed.

**Sassafras, or Medicated Nest Eggs.** For setting and laying hens. Price, each, 5 cents; if by mail, 10 cents each; per dozen, 40 cents; if by mail, 75 cents per dozen.

**China Nest Eggs.** Price, each, 3 cents; per dozen, 35 cents; by mail, 60 cents per dozen.

**Ground Oyster Shells.** 10-pound bag, 15 cents; 25 pound bag, 35 cents; 50-pound bag, 50 cents; 100-pound bag, 75 cents; 300 pounds or more, 60 cents per hundred. No charge for bags. Ton lots at special prices.

**Sea Shells.** 100-pound bags, 85 cents; per barrel (about 300 pounds), 75 cents per 100 pounds. No charge for bags or barrels.

**Pure Ground Beef Scraps.** 5-pound bag, 25 cents; 10-pound bag, 50 cents; 25-pound bag, 75 cents; 50-pound bag, \$1.25; 100-pound bag, \$2.00; 300 pounds or more, \$1.00 per 100 pounds. No charge for bags.

**Cracked Chicken Bone.** 5-pound bag, 25 cents; 10-pound bag, 40 cents; 50-pound bag, \$1.50; 100-pound bag, \$2.50. Barrels of about 250 pounds, 2½ cents per pound. No charge for bags or barrels.

**Bone Meal.** 5-pound bag, 25 cents; 10-pound bag, 40 cents; 50-pound bag, \$1.75; 100-pound bag, \$3.00. Per barrel (about 250 pounds), 2½ cents per pound. No charge for bags.

**Sunflower Seed.** This is one of the best egg-producing foods known for poultry, keeping them in fine condition. It can be sown any time up to the middle of July, alongside of fences, and in most any kind of soil.

**Sunflower Seed, Russian Mammoth.** Striped-seeded. Price, 15 cents per quart; \$3.00 per bushel; if by mail, 10 cents per quart extra.

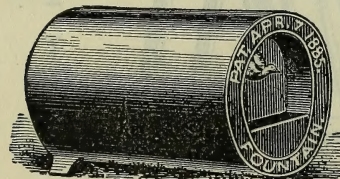
**Sunflower Seed.** Black-seeded. Price, 15 cents per quart; \$3.00 per bushel. If by mail, 10 cents per quart extra.

**Damaged Wheat,** for Hens, 2 bush. (100 pounds) in a bag. Price, 100 pounds, \$1.75. Bags, 20 cents each, returnable at same price.

**Barley for Hens,** 2 bushels (60 pounds, two bushels) in a bag. Price, per bushel, 75 cents. Bags, 20 cents each, returnable at same price.

**Buckwheat** for Hens, packed same as above. Price, 100 pounds, \$1.60.

**Poultry Drinking Fountains, PATENT STONEWARE.** Very durable. Half gallon, 25 cents each; one gallon, 35 cents each; two gallon, 50 cents each.



STONEWARE FOUNTAIN.

## PARKER & WOOD'S POULTRY DRINKING FOUNTAIN.

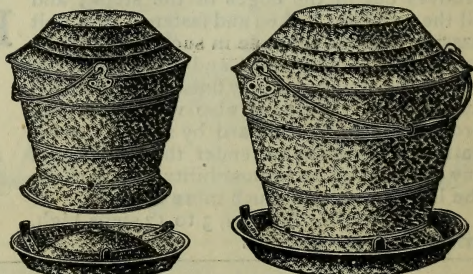
The most practical and handiest fountain made. Has a bail with wooden handle attached, making them easy to transport.

Easy to fill. The bottom saucer takes off, leaving a hole full size of the bottom to pour the water in, which also gives plenty of room for cleaning and purifying.

Made of Indestructible Galvanized Iron. Will not burst from freezing.

Retail Price List. Discount to the trade.

2 Gallon, \$1.25 each. 4 Gallon, \$2.50 each. 5 Gallon, \$3.00 each. Trade supplied.

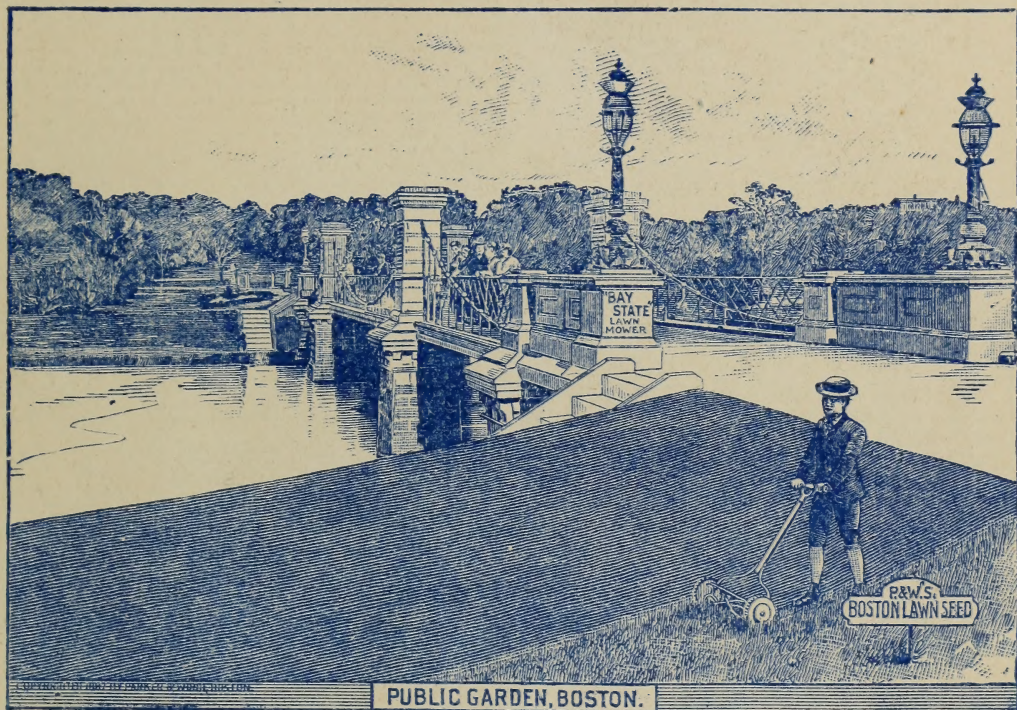




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SOW YOUR LAWN WITH THIS SEED



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## BEAUTIFUL, SOFT, AND VELVETY LAWN.

**PARKER & WOOD'S BOSTON LAWN SEED.** Price, 25 cts. per quart; four quarts, 75 cts.; peck, \$1.00; per bushel of 16 lbs., \$4.00.

One quart will sow 300 sq. ft.; peck, 2,400 sq. ft.; bushel, 10,000 sq. ft.; four bushels, one acre (43,560 ft.).

**HOW TO MAKE A LAWN.** (See directions under GRASS SEEDS, inside pages.)



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